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# IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS DALLAS DIVISION

In re:	§ Chapter 11
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.P.,	§ Case No. 19-34054-sgj11
HIGHLAND CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.F.,	§ Case No. 19-34034-sgj1.
Debtor.	§
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# NOTICE OF APPEAL AND STATEMENT OF ELECTION

## **Part 1: Identify the appellant(s)**

1. Name(s) of appellant(s):

The Charitable DAF Fund, L.P. CLO Holdco, Ltd.
Mark Patrick
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2. Position of appellant(s) in the adversary proceeding or bankruptcy case that is the subject of this appeal:

For appeals in an adversary proceeding:   □ Plaintiff	For appeals in a bankruptcy case and not in an adversary proceeding:
	□ Debtor
□ Other (describe)	□ Creditor

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☐ Trustee

X Other (describe)

Parties to lawsuit against the Debtor in

Cause No. 3:21-cv-00842-B, United States

District Court, Northern District of Texas

## Part 2: Identify the subject of this appeal

1. Describe the judgment, order, or decree appealed from:

Memorandum Opinion and Order Holding Certain Parties and Their Attorneys in Civil Contempt of Court for Violation of Bankruptcy Court Orders

2. State the date on which the judgment, order, or decree was entered: August 3, 2021

# Part 3: Identify the other parties to the appeal

List the names of all parties to the judgment, order, or decree appealed from and the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of their attorneys:

1. Party/Appellee: Debtor: Highland Capital Management, L.P.

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Dated: August 16, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

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